



**PEACE + LOVE + PRIDE @Five Deuces
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Buyer's Guide

Exhibition Summary

PEACE + LOVE + PRIDE

Five Deuces Galleria is thrilled to get a head-start on celebrating St. Pete Pride month, along with all that is peaceful and full of love in our world even amidst the chaos.

Our call for art this month seeks artwork that expresses authentic, diverse viewpoints of Peace, Love, and Pride from all artists in our community and reinforces that an inclusive, welcoming, and creative community benefits us all, regardless of sexual orientation/identity, ethnicity, gender, or race.

The theme "Peace + Love + Pride" is open to a wide interpretation. It can express meditative modes, calm in chaos, physical love, emotional love, or whatever other sentiment your creative mind can convey through an artistic medium.

Submitted work should showcase a variety of visual art mediums, subjects, and techniques by a wide range of creative voices (i.e. a variety of ethnic, cultural, and gender representation) while always expressing a high standard of artistic excellence

Show us what your Peace, Love, and Pride looks like.

This will be a 6-week long show that extends over the two very active St. Pete Artwalk nights in May and June.

Marc Brechwald

Artist Statement

I draw what I'm drawn to, it's as simple as that. And more often than not, what I'm drawn to is people. Sometimes, I'll come across an image of a person that elicits such a strong response in me that I can't wait to draw it, to capture it in glorious detail. Not drawing it isn't an option. And ultimately, I hope my art will provoke similar strong responses in others, to make them feel something.

Biography

Marc Brechwald is a self-taught emerging artist who specializes in portraits and figurative art. Using primarily graphite and polychrome colored pencils, his portraits tend to explore and celebrate diversity, with subjects representing various ages, races, ethnicities, and religions.

Marc was born and raised in Iowa, but has called Tampa home for more than 25 years. Like most artists, he grew up with a pencil in his hand, drawn to fantasy as a child. Today his subjects tend to be more grounded in realism.

"I've been fortunate to travel extensively throughout my life, both domestically and internationally. The people I've encountered during my travels have provided ample inspiration for my art. While our exterior trappings may vary from culture to culture, there are countless traits and characteristics that we all share. My drawings capture the cultural diversity from around the globe while depicting the common threads that bind us all."



Caliente

By Marc Brechwald

Canvas print

Width: 16"

Height: 20"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$100.00

Submit Offers





Daydreaming

By Marc Brechwald

Graphite on Bristol

Width: 11"

Height: 14"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$350.00

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Matt Christiansen

Artist Statement

My work is suited to the image. It is inspired by inexplicable reality as well as dreams and ranges in subject matter from architecture to symbolism, figurative to abstract. Rendered in meaty blotches, strands, and washes of oil, the process of painting can often feel like a push between a finished "product" or, allowing the materials to show you something else.

Biography

I have attended more than a few colleges in different cities and even an art school along the way all of which have given me both the needed tools and a healthy perspective but my work has always been about "doing" the work and discovery.

My wife and I moved to Florida from Denver and I am in search of discovery still.



Saturn Girls

By Matt Christiansen

Oil on Canvas

Width: 30"

Height: 24"

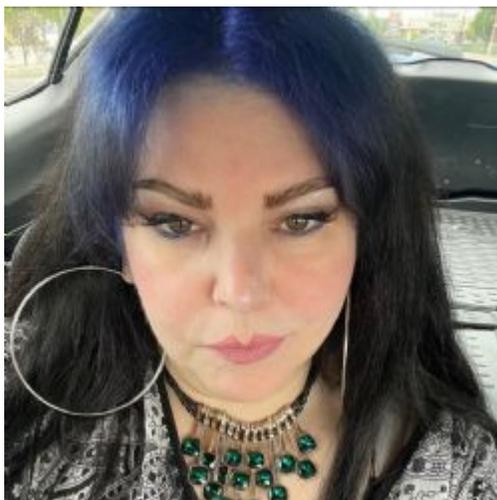
Depth: 1"

This is a double.

Listed Price: \$3,000.00

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Wendy Costa

Artist Statement

I have been in the world of product design with my own line for 35 years, the tightness of that world has changed my approach to painting. I like many influences to permeate my work, from color, music, decor, design, architecture and now my new environment in St. Pete, FL. I like to challenge myself with new materials, collaborations, and different styles.

Biography

I studied Fine Art with a concentration on painting, but I am always reaching for new mediums and new materials. I work summers in upstate New York in an old Gothic Church we purchased during the recession. My new life in St. Petersburg has changed my colors dramatically, and satisfied my need for community and art connections.

I especially love the fantastical world of hybrid imagery.

I am drawn to works that do not live in the world of realism, but are infused with imagination, exaggeration and emotional expression.



Hibiscus Sisters

By Wendy Costa

Acrylic, print, gold leaf, wood

Width: 48"

Height: 32"

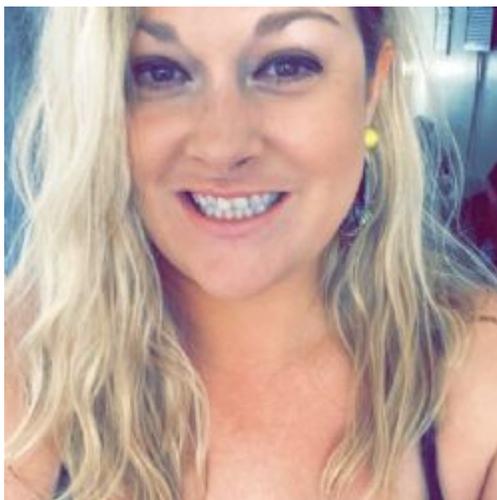
Depth: 2"

Hibiscus flower headed women in a sea of dreamy indigo, cobalt, electric lemon yellow and corals. In this painting, I'm showcasing my love of the divine feminine spirit.

Listed Price: \$725.00

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Caroline Crockett



Always Growing

By Caroline Crockett

Acrylic, Paper, Paint chips, and recycled plastic

Width: 24"

Height: 30"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$1,600.00

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Tyler Donnelly

Artist Statement

Experimentation is my art. A new color, a new texture, or a new reaction. Life is not one set course, neither is my work. Always experimenting and developing, that's what keeps my paintings and myself evolving. Every piece starts out as a blank canvas, as inspiration emerges, I choose the materials to use. The reaction of one color or substance to another can totally change the direction of that piece. Always adapting and redefining. From these experiments, my current works display the techniques I've been developing. A texture or effect by trial and error, and that has led to something that's unique and interesting. I will always seek new and inventive ways to express my view of the world.

Biography

Tyler Donnelly, a Florida based abstract painter, is honing his artistic career. Painting since the 1990s, and now painting fulltime since 2018. A member of the WADA (Warehouse Arts District Association) of St Petersburg. Previous and ongoing showings on the Art Walks and other venues. Mural work for the City of Pinellas Park. Showings at several galleries in the Tampa Bay area

With a strong graphic design background, his paintings escape from the pixels and get back to his true craft. Influenced by the greats like VanGogh or Pollock. Yet intrigued by new techniques, he blends them with traditional knowledge to create unique works. Being self-taught, as many historically were, he's free to experiment and develop art as he sees fit. Creating works that are less confined and open to interpretation. Mainly concentrating in abstract art, yet still creating tangible works all along. Mixed media is an oversimplified definition, with the use of different materials and acrylics to create paintings that are textural and inquisitive.



Growth

By Tyler Donnelly

Unknown

Width: 15"

Height: 30"

Depth: 1"

Colored paper and acrylics on canvas. The white tree representing growth and strength, painted with acrylics then scratched off to give a textural, bark like appearance.

Listed Price: \$250.00

Submit Offers





Persevere

By Tyler Donnelly

Acrylics

Width: 30"

Height: 15"

Depth: 0"

Persevere is a deep, colorful piece done in acrylics. The true colors working their way through the storm to persevere and to shine bright.

Listed Price: \$175.00

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Linda Feinstein

Artist Statement

As an intuitive painter, I find joy in the process of playing with bold colors and painting many layers with no attachment as to the final outcome by letting the painting direct me to what it wants to go.

Biography

Linda Feinstein is an intuitive acrylic painter who was born in Merrillville, Indiana. Her bold use of color attracts the viewer first and keeps their interest as they are taken further into the depths of the painting. Linda's work is a must-see when you are looking for intuitive and abstract paintings.

Linda studied with artists in many different styles until she developed her own unique approach to intuitive painting.

She has exhibited and sold original work throughout the Tampa Bay area. She currently resides in Dunedin, Florida.



A Feather In Her Cap

By Linda Feinstein

acrylic

Width: 24"

Height: 24"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$550.00

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Fancy Free
By Linda Feinstein

acrylic

Width: 24"
Height: 36"
Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$950.00

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Nathalie Ganase



Les Marguerites

By Nathalie Ganase

Aluminium

Width: 20"

Height: 30"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$350.00

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L'Oeil du cyclone

By Nathalie Ganase

Acrylic Paint on Canvas

Width: 18"

Height: 24"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$150.00

Submit Offers





Ruby Eye

By Nathalie Ganase

Acrylic Paint on Canvas

Width: 16"

Height: 20"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$200.00

Submit Offers





The Wild Horse
By Nathalie Ganase

Acrylic Paint on Canvas

Width: 14"
Height: 18"
Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$350.00

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Marisa Griffin



Breathe Peace

By Marisa Griffin

Fiber Art

Width: 10"
Height: 10"
Depth: 10"

Listed Price: \$100.00

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Rebecca Hallstrom

Artist Statement

As an artist, I embrace embellishments, using playful patterns, symbols, and strong colors, while melding abstract backgrounds with my subject. I also enjoy tying in knowledge about flora and fauna where I draw much of my inspiration. My work often has a subtle social comment that can be drawn from my works.

Biography

Rebecca is a gifted award-winning multimedia artist, with a playful style. Her living experiences in the Pacific Northwest, including Oregon, Washington and Alaska, have given her a passion for nature that she incorporates into all her works while sharing her knowledge of flora and fauna.

Rebecca has now settled on the west coast of Florida, melding together her life experiences and her genuine humanistic approach to life, into a successful full time art business, showing her art in exhibits and selling her work online, as well as in local art shows and retail outlets.



Groovy Kind of Love

By Rebecca Hallstrom

Mixed media on wood Panel

Width: 30"

Height: 30"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$275.00

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Love Potion Number 9

By Rebecca Hallstrom

Mixed Media on Wood Panel

Width: 12"

Height: 12"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$155.00

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Summer Love

By Rebecca Hallstrom

Acrylic woven on Wood Panel

Width: 12"

Height: 12"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$185.00

Submit Offers



Sandra Hernandez

Frogs in love

By Sandra Hernandez

Digital

Width: 16"

Height: 12"

Depth: 0"



Listed Price: \$75.00

Submit Offers



Loving mermaid

By Sandra Hernandez

Digital

Width: 12"

Height: 16"

Depth: 0"

Listed Price: \$50.00

Submit Offers



Love is Love



Karol Hilker

Artist Statement

Karol Hilker has enjoyed painting original and commissioned art work as a full time artist her entire life. She is trained in oils, acrylics, watercolors, alcohol inks, pastels, and clays. She also includes wire, clay, beads and crystals in her work if needed. She uses lush, vibrant colors next to subtle neutral tones for a vibrant layering effect. She manipulates these layers and controlled drips to allow the backgrounds into the foreground. Whether it is pieces created in her studio or plein air, Karol's paintings explore the richness of life through layering of images, movement, and color.

Biography

Karol Hilker received a Bachelor of Fine Arts with an emphasis in painting and a Bachelors of Science in Art Education from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville in 1989. She had continued studies with Frank Cavino who taught the Renaissance method. She enjoys painting commissioned and original works in a variety of mediums. Over her 40 years of painting she has shown her work in solo and group shows across the US. Her work is in private homes and businesses in over 20 states. Karol now calls St. Petersburg, FL home. She is enjoying painting plein air, local bands and working in her home studio.



In this together

By Karol Hilker

Acrylic, Swarovski crystals, beads, silver wire

Width: 24"

Height: 32"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$1,200.00

Submit Offers





Amy Ilic-Volpe

Artist Statement

Amy's work is a reflection of her appreciation of adventure, experimentation, and process. She attempts to see her process-driven work through the excitement and vitality of young eyes. She is an intuitive artist and maker, who is intrigued by mark-making and fluid applications of color and shape. She allows her mediums to speak to her and she engages with them in free and loose movement. She doesn't typically plan her work, rather allows the spirit of art-making to speak through her, oftentimes allowing the process of art-making to be the true representation of art. The true beauty is in the experience. The artwork evolves as a visceral and emotional practice.

Biography

Amy is a St. Petersburg, Florida native. She is inspired by the sunshine and the easygoing vibe of her hometown. She has a great appreciation for the artistic energy her little city exudes. Amy has been influenced and educated by travel and considers herself a student of experience. Amy has been working with children, in education and youth programming, most of her adult life. This experience is the motivating energy behind her art and art-making work. Her biggest influence is the child's perspective. Amy is currently part of the Experience Management Team for Fairgrounds St. Pete, a new immersive art

experience in St. Petersburg, Florida.



Untitled

By Amy Ilic-Volpe

Mixed Media

Width: 36"

Height: 48"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$999.00

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Untitled

By Amy Ilic-Volpe

Mixed Media

Width: 36"

Height: 48"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$999.00

Submit Offers





Janelle Marie Kelley

Artist Statement

All works originate from acrylic on canvas. Digitally manipulated images are integrated with other various forms of medium, such as glass and metal. Every piece is finished with multiple layers of resin. Different mediums and layers allow me to express different perceptions, ideas, and also give dimension. Within these uncertain worldly times, I strive to evoke emotion, and allow people's minds to float into a realm of subconscious beauty and mystique.

Biography

Janelle Marie Kelley is a visual artist specializing in 3d mixed media, using acrylic and resin as her main mediums. Her realistic characters manifest themselves in vivid colors and other media to add depth and contrast evoking a multidimensional perspective.

She is best known for her custom combination of photo realism and fluid art as well as exotic sea life pieces. Her signature style consists of integrating manipulated images with real tangible objects that jump from the surface. Her work is found in Tampa, St. Pete, Key West and throughout the state of Florida. She focuses primarily on commission pieces, events, and exhibits.

Janelle's art is meant to transplant the viewer into the mind space of wonder and escape, in an otherwise strange

and unpredictable universe.

Born and raised in Florida, she is a self taught artist. Janelle holds three licenses with the DBPR and has been a stylist, makeup artist, and barber for over a decade. She currently paints from her studio in St. Pete creating custom pieces that are highly sought after with an ever increasing demand for her work.



Billy Bob

By Janelle Marie Kelley

Acrylic, resin, on canvas

Width: 12"

Height: 16"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$225.00

Submit Offers





Gaga Eye Scream

By Janelle Marie Kelley

Acrylic, glass, metal, LED, resin on canvas

Width: 20"

Height: 24"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$750.00

Submit Offers





Queens Versace Love

By Janelle Marie Kelley

Acrylic, glass, metal, resin on canvas

Width: 16"

Height: 20"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$420.00

Submit Offers





Kostar Kustoms

Artist Statement

Im a FL artist. I like to repurpose things into art and give them new life whenever possible. To some, my art is considered dark subject matter. To combat those stereotypes/perspectives, I like to use unexpected bright colors or unusual repetitive patterns within these works.

Biography

I'm very proud that my work is a little bit different from the norm. Ideally I try to find a lot of my materials or re-purpose things. By repainting them, I give them my own twist... seeing their inner potential

Born in Cleveland many years ago, I've lived in FL for over half of my life now. Im a self taught artist. Inspiration comes in many forms for me...mostly I'm drawn to tattoo style artwork, religious art, nature, pop culture, movies, & music. You can definitely see a meshing of these things in my work. When I'm not making art, you can usually find me in the garden. Succulents and carnivorous plants are my jam. I've also been keeping fish tanks for over 20 years,

Most often I work with acrylics due to their versatility. However I do like pushing myself.

Working with different materials helps me understand myself and grow my processes, as well as bring new ideas. Wood, watercolor, and organic materials are other mediums I also like to dabble with. With these materials I use to create, I hope to open minds and perspectives about art and what is considered acceptable and visually appealing



Old wise one

By Kostar Kustoms

Acrylic on canvas

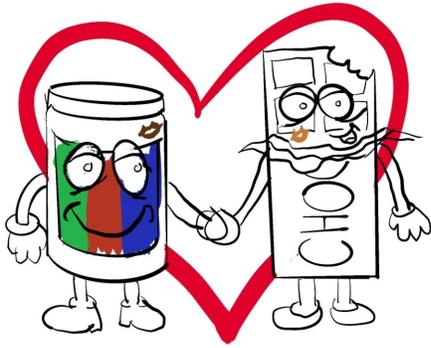
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Height: 14"
Depth: 0"

11" x 14" acrylic on canvas . Unframed

Listed Price: \$175.00

Submit Offers





Pure love

By Kostar Kustoms

Acrylic on wood panel

Width: 12"

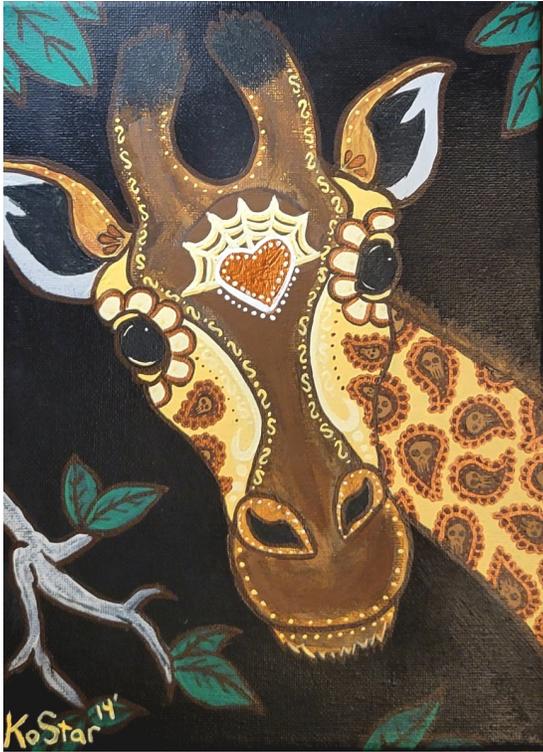
Height: 12"

Depth: 0"

Listed Price: \$175.00

Submit Offers





sugar skull love

By Kostar Kustoms

Acrylic on canvas

Width: 9"
Height: 12"
Depth: 0"

Listed Price: \$200.00

Submit Offers



Charlie Krusac

Artist Statement

I was raised in a strong Christian home filled with hypocrisy and dark secrets. I saw life through glasses tinted with suppression and sadness.

As an adult, I have chosen to see the beauty in people and the things that surround me. Yes, we are surrounded by ugliness and hurt. That is the reality of life and needs to be addressed by society as a whole. But when I create an image, I am inviting you into my world. My goal is to show people the beauty that resides within themselves and in all of us. Simply put, the intent of my work, besides creating something interesting or beautiful to see, is to build my subject's self-confidence.

Through my skills as a photographer, sometimes with the help of Photoshop, I take the static images I capture and reveal the person that is in front of me, the way I see them. As beautiful human beings, sometimes filled with happiness, anger, lust or a myriad of other emotions. But the beauty is always there, sometimes on the surface and sometimes just below. This is what I continually strive to do, and what you will see when you look at my work.

Biography

Charlie Krusac is a fine art photographer who lives in Seminole Florida. He started his photographic journey in 1986 as a wedding and portrait photographer. Over time Charlie did less and less traditional portrait work and focused more on creating art.

Today he is a fulltime, fine art photographer, selling his work at local art galleries, as well as working with private individuals who wish to express their creative side and become the focal point of their own works of art.

He can be reached at 651-600-2551 if you would like additional information about his work or how you might be featured in one of his creations.



Magic Mirror

By Charlie Krusac

Dye-sublimation printing on metal

Width: 20"

Height: 24"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$499.00

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Shear Confidence

By Charlie Krusac

Dye-sublimation printing on metal

Width: 20"

Height: 24"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$499.00

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David Larson



Untitled

By David Larson

acrylic on canvas

Width: 48"

Height: 60"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$850.00

Submit Offers





Untitled

By David Larson

acrylic on canvas

Width: 48"

Height: 48"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$500.00

Submit Offers



herblish

Artist Statement

"Journeys in art by fusing photography, body painting through mixed media paintings all while creating a visual poetry with color, textures and movement." - Herblish

Biography

My work explores the unapologetic relationship between color and shapes while paying a great deal of attention with textures. With influences as diverse as Egon Schiele and Picasso, new tensions are distilled from both opaque and transparent narratives. Ever since I was a teenager I have been fascinated by the traditional understanding of spatial and chromatic relationships. I love the mixing or hybridizing for the sake of exhibition. The work becomes a visual carnival of movement.



A Healing Crusade

By herblish

Digital Mixed Media on Panel

Width: 24"

Height: 40"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$300.00

Submit Offers



Jessica McCormick

Artist Statement

My process works as a way to find personal alignment in a helter-skelter world. Even when everything seems turbulent, I turn to the canvas to re-exert some control over my own life.

In my two-dimensional work, I will pair acrylic and tape to create crisp, perfect lines. Sometimes, I'll also focus on a subtly detailed background that allows me to dig deep into the process and find my peace there, through gestural repetition one layer at a time. I take the chaos of the world around me, channel it, and transform it into something intentional, meticulous, and balanced.

Beyond my own internal motivations for creating a very particular type of art, I aim to give audiences a focal point to explore their own sense of what balance can look like. The lines in my work may intersect or run parallel to one another, creating different feelings of dynamism and movement across the canvas. Various blocks of colors will interplay with each other, highlighting their different weights and impacts.

Overall, the message is that sharp lines do not have to be restrictive -- rather, they can work together to create a distinctive and bold yet meditative visual language.

Biography

Jessica McCormick has a style that is balanced and meditative. Her works are purely abstract, a creative avenue to study the effects of line, color, and weight within a composition.

Jessica uses acrylic to create lines and angles that work to exert control and create visual balance in her two-dimensional works. Meanwhile, her three-dimensional mixed-media pieces abandon the rigidity of straight lines and instead focus on color as the driving force. However, every piece she creates is both bold and meditative in the process and in its final result.

Jessica's works have been shortlisted for the Artzine Art Prize and earned her a semi-finalist slot in Bombay Sapphire's Artisan Series. In local circles, she has won an Honorable Mention and the Tim Salen Award for Art in Any Medium from the Morean Arts Center in St. Petersburg, as well as a recent Best In Show at the Stirling Art Studios & Gallery in Dunedin.

She was born in Connecticut and has lived in various parts of Florida for most of her life. She earned her Bachelor of Arts in Communications from Stetson University. Jessica currently lives with her husband in Tampa, Florida.



Coming Out

By Jessica McCormick

acrylic

Width: 20"

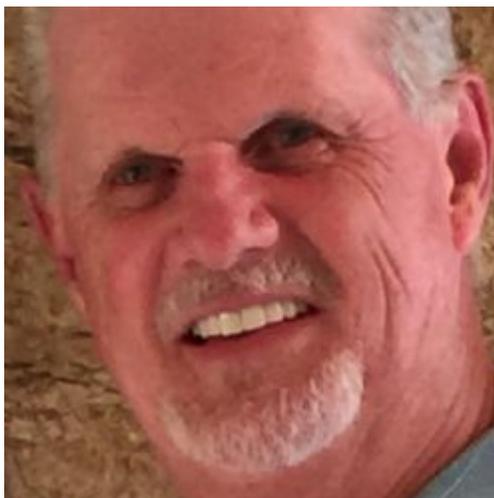
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Depth: 0"

Listed Price: \$200.00

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Tom Parker

Artist Statement

Tom Parker Artist Statement

I love producing very textured abstract art. Both my non-figurative and figurative art reveals my expressionism-style and my internally driven exploration of vibrant and intense colors. I typically produce non-figurative abstract paintings, layer by layer, that are rich in color and texture. I try not to get caught up in my own preconceived ideas and notions of what the final result should be. In effect, I allow the painting to take me on a twisting and turning journey that keeps me guessing what the final outcome will be.

In many of my large textured paintings you will find that I combine acrylic paint, oil paint and wax with a few found objects, e.g. stones, metal, paper, sand, wood, etc. to create a large, textured, mixed media canvas. I have been awarded several First Place awards or Best In Show awards for my abstract work and currently have client/buyers in the United States well as Europe. Art Business News selected me as one of the Top 50 Artists to watch in 2014.

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Biography

About the Artist TParker:

TParker art reveals his expressionism-style and his internally driven exploration of vibrant and intense colors. TParker typically produces specific series art work that are both figurative and non-figurative abstract paintings, layer by layer, that are rich in color and texture. In a recent interview, he commented: "I try not to get caught up in my own preconceived ideas and notions of what the final result should be. In effect, I allow the painting to take me on a twisting and turning journey that keeps me guessing what the final outcome will be.

In many of TParker's series paintings you will find that he combines acrylic paint or oil paint and collage with a few found objects, e.g. stones, metal, paper, sand, wood, etc. to create a large, textured, mixed media canvas. TParker has been awarded several First Place awards or Best In Show awards for his abstract work and has client/buyers in the United States as well as Europe. Art Business News selected TParker as one of the Top 50 Artists to watch in 2014.

TParker has been an artist his entire life securing his first award for an abstract painting during The Dogwood Arts Festival in Knoxville, Tennessee when he was a teenager. While his career in LifeScience Biotechnology spans 25+ years he remained involved in art throughout his early life and in 2004 he became a professional abstract artist in South Florida. TParker was associated/mentored/trained by the Pratt School husband/wife team of John and Theresa Frazee from 2005 - 2016. Several South Florida galleries sell or have sold TParker's abstract work. Visit www.tparkerstudio.com for more information about his work.



Red Lips

By Tom Parker

Acrylic paint and tile adhesive on stretched canvas

Width: 30"

Height: 30"

Depth: 3"

Listed Price: \$600.00

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Red Lips with Cherry

By Tom Parker

Acrylic paint and tile adhesive on canvas

Width: 30"

Height: 30"

Depth: 3"

Listed Price: \$650.00

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Patrice Pfeiffer

Artist Statement

I am a self-taught artist, inspired by organic shapes in nature, bright colors and music. Flowers, birds, plants, landscapes all inform my illustrations and designs. My process involves layering and mixing various liquid media on a variety of different papers. I use stencils, brushes, gel plates, rollers and other mark making tools to create complex textures and lines. These papers are then used as the "paint" in my design. The papers are torn, cut and sometimes given a wash to create variety and more interest. The work I have submitted for this event, Bloom, was done using this process. I work intuitively and often don't have an end result in mind.

My digital illustrations are created in an app called Procreate. To exhibit my digital work, sometimes I print it on a wood cradle board. The sides are painted with acrylic and it is signed and dated on the back. Often, I make some marks on it with pen or ink. I only produce a small limited number prints on wood of any given image. I do sell paper prints of most of my work in various sizes. I like to make my art affordable and accessible to everyone.

I scan the finished papers before using in my paper collages thus enabling me to use them in my digital collages. I love the feel of the texture of paper collage. I'm equally attracted to the limitless ideas and variations created by digital manipulation. I can't ever see myself just doing one type of art. Even at my age, I feel I am just getting started on my art journey.

Biography

For the past five years my husband and I lived and traveled in our RV, visiting over 25 states. During that time I began journaling and discovered I loved collage and acrylics. I began experimenting in an app called Procreate, using many of my photos to create digital collages. It was fun and an easy way to be creative while traveling and living in a small space.

During the Pandemic we returned to Florida and I began looking for ways to show some of the art I've been making. In this exhibit, what I call my Black Cat Art is showcased. My daughter has a black cat called Pepper. She's just part of the family. Each illustration is a little snippet of everyday human life, playfully depicted via the BlackCat Family. I hope you enjoy and can relate to the cats.



Peace Hamsa

By Patrice Pfeiffer

Unknown

Width: 11"

Height: 17"

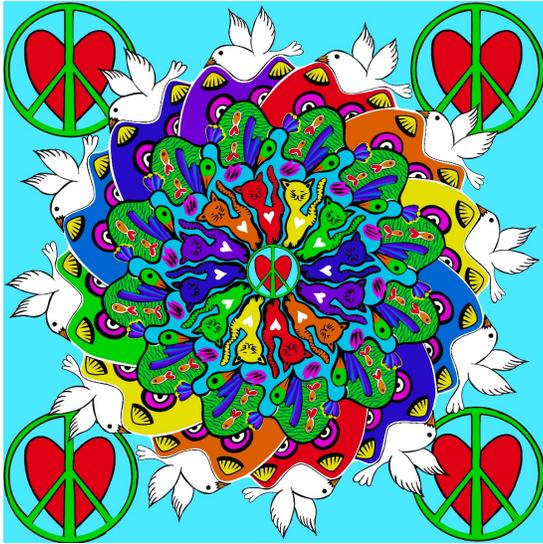
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This is a new work based on a design I drew in 2010.
Reworked for the Peace Love and Pride Exhibition at 5
Deuces.

Listed Price: \$125.00

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Peace Love and Pride Mandala

By Patrice Pfeiffer

Digital printed on Acrylic

Width: 20"

Height: 20"

Depth: 1"

New twist to the Cat Mandala! Created in Procreate and IOrnament.

Listed Price: \$250.00

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Peace Rainbow Hamsa

By Patrice Pfeiffer

Unknown

Width: 18"

Height: 24"

Depth: 0"

Created in

Procreate from an original pen and ink drawing. Made for Peace Love and Pride at 5 Deuces.

Listed Price: \$175.00

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Birdie

Artist Statement

Fill the world with BIRDIEful things.

Biography

Birdie is a St.Pete artist who focuses on mixed media portraits. Using different materials in her pieces allows her to build a layered story usually focusing on strength and transformation.



Strength in Chaos

By Birdie

Mixed media on canvas

Width: 20"

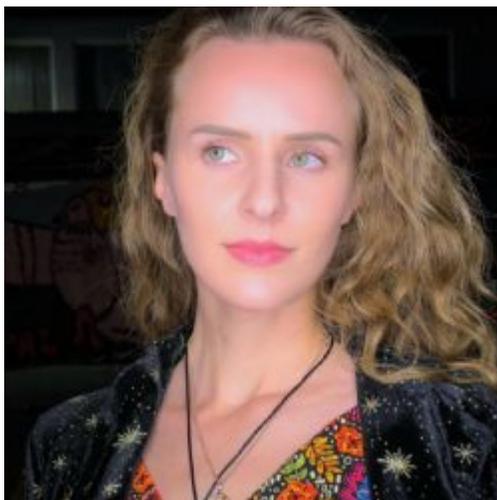
Height: 24"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$200.00

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Vitaliya Repina



Divine Feminine V

By Vitaliya Repina

mixed media

Width: 18"
Height: 18"
Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$620.00

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Artworks by AMR

Artist Statement

I paint from the heart... and find myself taken aback by special moments, response to music, beautiful imagery, people and sometimes simply experiencing an emotion. When these inspirations come, I seek to capture them with a personal interpretation. There is no better feeling than seeing a blank canvas transform as these images come to life. I hope some of my paintings bring you inspiration, entertainment, and a smile. AMR- Anne Marie Roure

Biography

Anne Marie Roure, AMR, is a self-taught artist. She seeks to capture and share her view of experiences, people, places and moods and likes to paint images that spark an emotion using movement of lines and color. Her favorite medium is acrylic on canvas; alternating through a mix of styles. Going back to her earliest memories she held an interest in painting. She recently discovered a photo taken by her mom when she was age two, wearing a Santa-hat and holding a paintbrush. She lived in multiple states growing up, and holds a B.A from Baylor University and an M.B.A. from Texas Christian University. She spent nearly 30 years focused on her career as an executive in financial services. Having left her corporate career, she has picked up a paintbrush once again; her passion reignited.

Her other interest include travel, exploring St. Petersburg with her boxer, Pablo, and staying physically active through swimming, yoga and personal training. Her paintings are available on her website, ArtworksbyAMR.com and in her studio at 5 Deuces Galleria. She thanks God for her gift of expression and the opportunity to share it.



Madama Butterfly

By Artworks by AMR

Acrylic on Canvas

Width: 24"

Height: 18"

Depth: 2"

The blues of this beautiful young butterfly, represent the sadness of Madama Butterfly... radiance suppressed with her tragic ending

Listed Price: \$850.00

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Megan Russ

Artist Statement

I am Megan Russ, and I also go by Rambunctious Rainbow. I paint with vibrant colors that are as loud and bold as I am, bringing excitement to each piece. My art brings awareness and more to meaningful causes and organizations, and my art also celebrates self-love, healing, and the neurodivergent mind.

Biography

Originally from South Florida, Megan Russ has been a St Pete resident since 2006, and she has been creating since before she can remember. In 2020, after she struggled through perinatal and postpartum anxiety and depression, COVID changed the world. Megan poured herself into painting again as a healthy way to cope with new and existing mental health challenges she was facing. Shortly after this, Megan finally received an ADHD diagnosis at age 30 - joining the wave of ADHD mothers diagnosed during the pandemic. This diagnosis led to self acceptance and understanding, as well as her current painting style. With a dark, typically black background contrasting the bright, loud, and vibrant colors that pop off the canvas, Megan's paintings offer a glimpse into what is constantly running through her head. Megan embraces imperfection through her art, and she also uses her art as a way to help meaningful causes and organizations.



Fear or Love? Actions Speak Louder Than Words

By Megan Russ

Acrylic on canvas

Width: 8"
Height: 8"
Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$100.00

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Venus Rising from the Sea

By Megan Russ

Acrylic on canvas

Width: 24"

Height: 24"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$475.00

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Candy Schultheis

Artist Statement

My passion and desire to create is the overwhelming force in my life. As a painter I like to explore different mediums and techniques in an attitude of play. I never have an idea in mind but approach each piece from a perspective of "What if?", trusting my intuition to lead the way. My paintings develop in a way that I often feel like the observer, or co-creator in this wonderful journey called Art.

Biography

Candy Schultheis is an award winning artist who lives and has her studio in Dunedin, FL. She has shown her work throughout Rhode Island and Florida, including many solo shows and one international show.

Her work is currently on exhibit at the Dunedin Fine Art Center, Celestial Circle in Palm Harbor, and

in her home studio.

Schultheis is on the faculty of the Dunedin Fine Art Center teaching workshops and classes in Intuitive Painting and Mixed Media. She gladly welcomes commissions and visitors to her studio.

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One Spirit One Song

By Candy Schultheis

Acrylic on Canvas

Width: 40"

Height: 30"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$1,600.00

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The Bath

By Candy Schultheis

Acrylic on Canvas

Width: 30"

Height: 36"

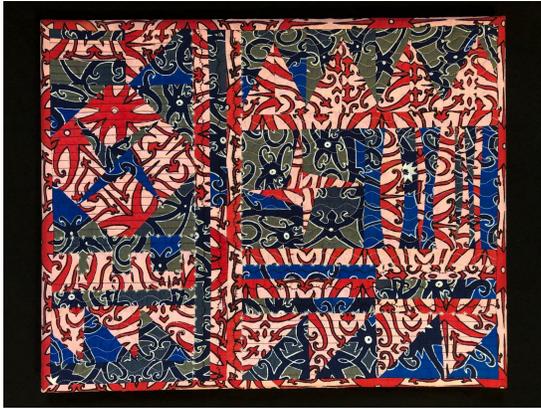
Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$1,400.00

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Michael Stevenson



Binary Colors

By Michael Stevenson

pieced and quilted Textile

Width: 16"

Height: 20"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$250.00

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Climbing Out

By Michael Stevenson

pieced and quilted hand-dyed Textile

Width: 16"

Height: 51"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$700.00

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I Fall to Pieces

By Michael Stevenson

pieced & quilted, hand-dyed textile

Width: 16"

Height: 20"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$250.00

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Maria Virgilio

Artist Statement

Male shoulders, abstract lovers, the elegance of a woman's curve, a misty dawn, the seaside, grandma's hands, urban art, graffiti. Inspiration is everywhere! Drawing & painting is my urgent, essential, inherent necessity! My childhood artistry began with sketching. As an adult it evolved into watercolor landscapes, pen & ink to acrylics. I'm drawn to realism, landscapes but stretched myself to abstract impressionism and the study of the human body. Life drawing sessions are a favorite, improving my figurative skills with its raw, quick poses, ever-changing models, light & environments. I challenge myself, utilizing new subject matter, mediums and genre's. The diversity of my art is a reflection of my inquisitive, vivacious, passionate personality. I will endeavor to keep my hand at it, moving pencils, charcoal & paint across canvas, paper, walls and any surface that will have me! "I make Art, thus, Art makes me!"

Biography

I'm a Self taught artist, drawing since I could hold a pencil. I became a Graphic Artist, freelancing over 20 years while raising kids, marriage & bake sales! I created a few Christmas cards, doodles & sketches back then but after 18 years, when my son went to college I started painting rocks, chairs, walls, canvas, anything not moving! Rediscovering my passion for painting at 45 was like breathing again. Painting and creating is a necessity now! I can't NOT do it!



Love is Love!
By Maria Virgilio

Watercolor

Width: 9"
Height: 12"
Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$125.00

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Neon Man

By Maria Virgilio

Acrylic print on glass

Width: 30"

Height: 40"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$345.00

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The Embrace
By Maria Virgilio

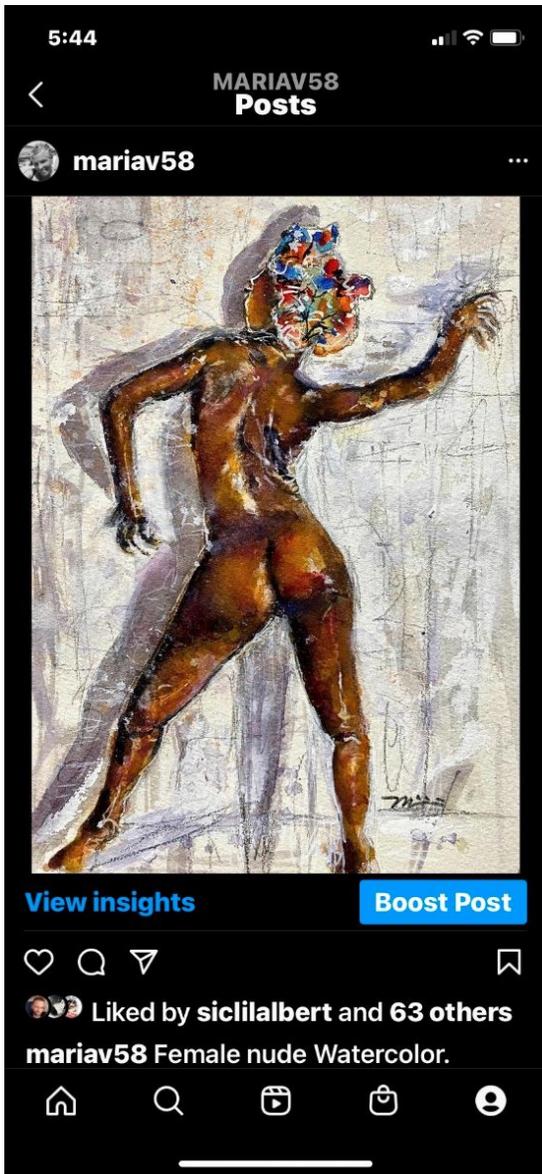
Watercolor & Ink

Width: 9"
Height: 12"
Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$175.00

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Titiana

By Maria Virgilio

Watercolor Print on Glass

Width: 30"

Height: 40"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$345.00

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Reggien Washington



Open Mind

By Reggien Washington

Watercolor

Width: 12"

Height: 14"

Depth: 0"

Listed Price: \$180.00

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Thorns

By Reggien Washington

Watercolor

Width: 12"

Height: 14"

Depth: 0"

Listed Price: \$180.00

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Margret Wilson

Artist Statement

Activism is messy. History is messy. The progress to acknowledge these issues is painstakingly beautiful.

Biography

I am from the Tampa Bay Area & studied Fine Arts at the University of Tampa. I am often inspired by community activism (specifically issues that affect women) & often create work while processing my own personal trauma.



Pride Doughnuts

By Margret Wilson

Acrylic Paint on Canvas

Width: 12"

Height: 12"

Depth: 1"

Listed Price: \$200.00

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Pride Gator

By Margret Wilson

Acrylic Paint on Canvas

Width: 20"

Height: 16"

Depth: 1"

This piece was inspired by the lavender rhino in the 70s. The color lavender was chosen as it was a combination of femme and masc representation, the rhino was chosen as it was an often misunderstood animal.

I wanted to create an updated version specifically for Florida's queers. Gators tend to be passive, unless provoked.

10% of the profits will go to Equality Florida.

Listed Price: \$300.00

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EnTactus

Artist Statement

EnTactus

"To Touch Within"

"The artist job, fundamentally, is not to seek inspiration and express it, it is to guide others to it. Artistic expression is but a beacon to inspiration."

-Casey J. Wullner

The creative expressions of Casey span throughout his life manifested in both the cohesive paved in skin series he's most known for, and expanding into a wide diversity of masterful creative expressions. The paved in skin series features primarily feminine divine portraiture. Using a self-developed mixed media technique, Casey combines acrylic, India ink and concrete patch in an entirely unique way that contrast the precision and softness of feminine figures against the hard and coarse paved surface.

What motivates me most is inspiring others to pursue their own potential and then begin to realize it. To create alone is reward enough but to see my own creations inspire others to create, to help them see in themselves their own greater potential is what drives me to realize my own.

What is EnTactus? Literally, it is a combination of Greek and Latin words meaning "to touch within." At a glance it is thought to refer to the creative expressions of Casey. It is the sum of all he has created and all he will create, but to

Casey however, EnTactus is so much more . It is the creative force shared by us all. It's the energy by which all things are created. It is the substrate of reality and on it we can but create. EnTactus is a conscious effort to manifest the subconscious into reality. It is the understanding that reality is but what we create collectively. EnTactus is an invitation. An invitation to create. Each of us must decide for ourselves how best we might manifest our dreams and we manifest them whether we consciously decide to or not. The invitation is but to do so with intent. The world is as we have made it. Our choice in it is to accept it as it is, for all its beauty and its horrors, or to consciously contribute more to its beauty. Its not simply an invitation to create art as I do, or even to create art at all

EnTactus is an invitation to actively manifest beauty into the world and to work toward building a more beautiful world, what ever that might mean to you. It is an invitation to better yourself, however you might chose to do so so that you might be better equipped to better the world. It is an invitation to invest your time, your resources and your efforts into manifesting and into the things manifesting a more perfect world. Though perfection is not attainable, the conscious pursuit of it brings us to it most near.



Fettering of the Light

By EnTactus

Acrylic and Ink on Paved Canvas

Width: 36"

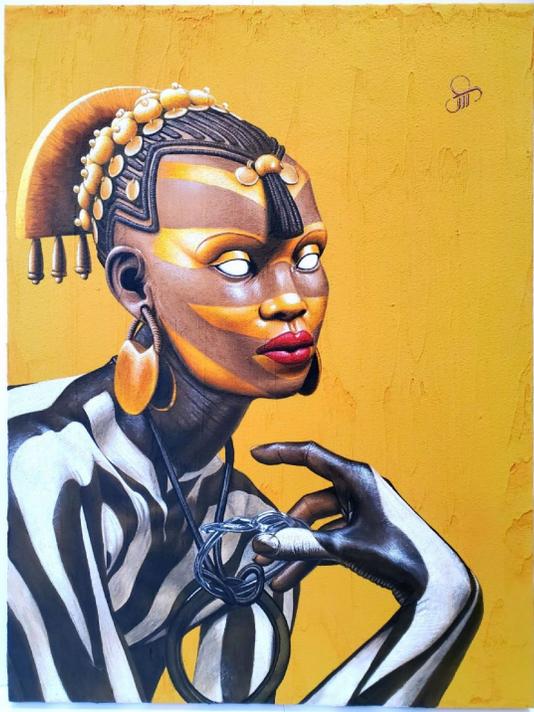
Height: 48"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$5,800.00

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The Gilded River

By EnTactus

Acrylic and Ink on Paved Canvas

Width: 30"

Height: 40"

Depth: 2"

Listed Price: \$4,500.00

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